

Chapter 44

Let's Have Drinks  
at Home with  
Smoked Foods!



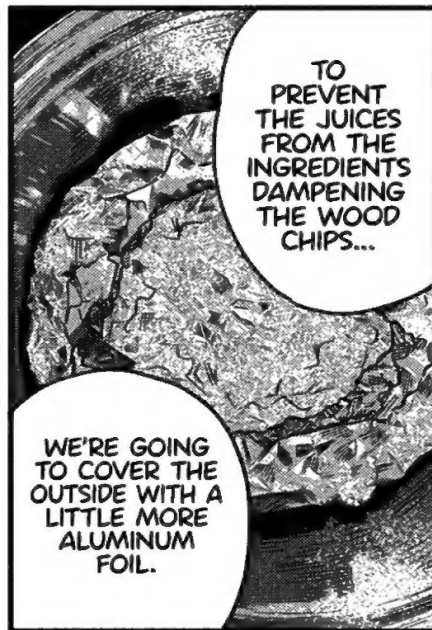
how  
to grill  
our  
love

THAT'S  
RIGHT!

WE'RE GOING  
TO SMOKE ALL  
OF THIS...!?







TO PREVENT  
THE JUICES  
FROM THE  
INGREDIENTS  
DAMPENING  
THE WOOD  
CHIPS...

WE'RE GOING  
TO COVER THE  
OUTSIDE WITH A  
LITTLE MORE  
ALUMINUM  
FOIL.



AND  
ADD MORE  
DEPTH OF  
FLAVOR IN  
GENERAL.

IT'LL  
ALSO ADD  
A SUBTLE  
SWEET-  
NESS...

WITH  
THESE, WE'LL  
GET SOME NICE  
COLOR ON OUR  
FOOD.



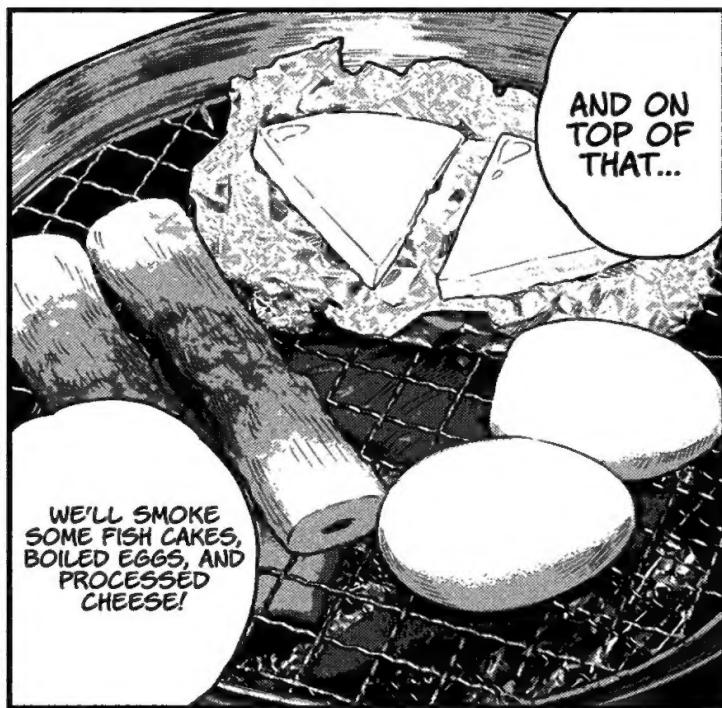
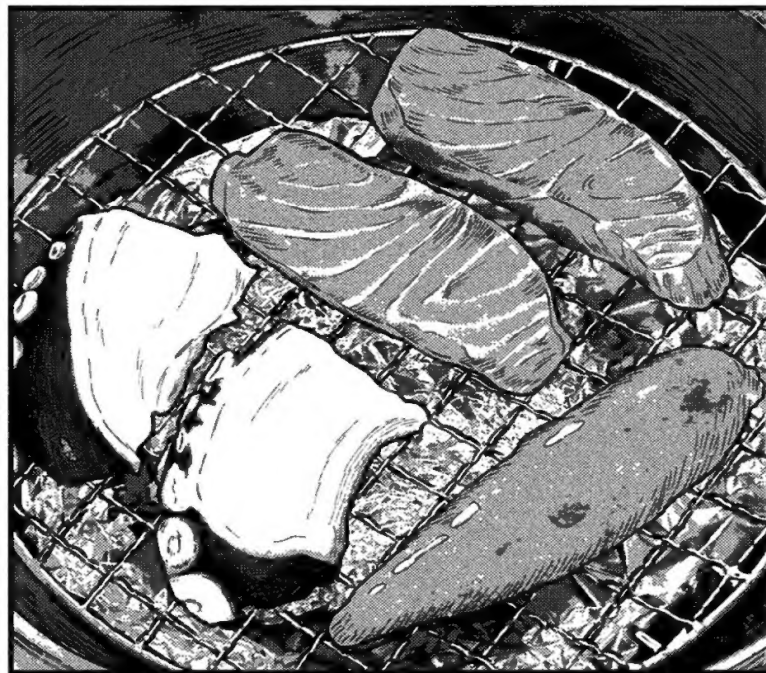
I WRAPPED  
THEM IN KITCHEN  
PAPER, PUT THEM  
IN THE FRIDGE, AND  
PATTED THEM  
DRY AFTER-  
WARDS!

I HAVE  
SOME SALMON  
AND OCTOPUS!  
AFTER LIGHT-  
LY SALTING  
THEM...



ALRIGHT,  
WE'RE ALL  
SET!

NOW,  
THE INGRE-  
DIENTS!







AFTER A  
WHILE, WHEN  
THE SMOKE  
STARTS COM-  
ING OUT...



WHEN IT'S  
ALL SET UP,  
WE'LL TURN  
THE HEAT  
ON.

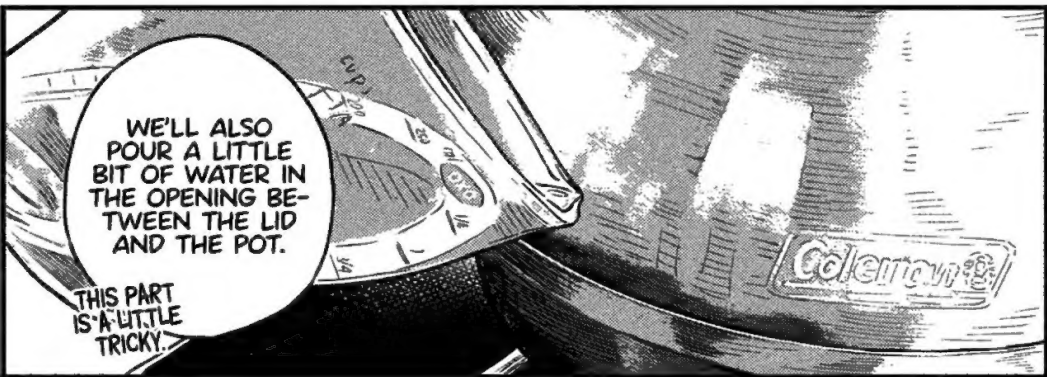
AT  
FIRST,  
TURN IT  
ALL THE  
WAY UP.



IT SMELLS  
GREAT AL-  
READY...

WOW...

SWITCH THE  
HEAT TO LOW,  
AND COVER  
THE SMOKER  
WITH A LID.



WE'LL ALSO  
POUR A LITTLE  
BIT OF WATER  
IN THE OPENING BE-  
TWEEN THE LID  
AND THE POT.

THIS PART  
IS A LITTLE  
TRICKY.

THIS  
IS SO  
EXCIT-  
ING!

WE'LL  
TURN THE  
HEAT OFF  
AND WAIT  
ANOTHER  
TEN MIN-  
UTES.

AFTER  
SMOKING  
OVER LOW  
HEAT FOR  
TEN MIN-  
UTES...

ACTU-  
ALLY...  
  
I  
DID TRY  
ONCE...

HAVE  
YOU NEVER  
DONE THIS  
BEFORE?

I  
THOUGHT  
THAT-YOU  
WOULD'VE.

THIS  
IS BACK  
WHEN...  
  
I WAS  
STILL A TOTAL  
BEGINNER AT  
GRILLING...

I GUESS  
THIS MAKES ME  
A BARBECUE  
NERD, LIKE  
PEOPLE  
SAY...

OR RATHER,  
A CERTAIN  
SOMEONE...

SOMEONE



IT'S AMAZ-  
ING HOW  
THE SMOKE  
DOESN'T  
GET OUT.

THIS WAY,  
WE CAN EVEN  
SMOKE FOOD  
INSIDE.

THESE DAYS,  
WE EVEN HAVE  
SMOKERS THAT  
WORK WITH  
INDUCTION  
HEATING.

AS  
LONG AS YOU  
READ UP ON IT,  
ANYONE CAN  
DO IT...

LO  
LO  
LO

BUT IT'S  
ACTUALLY  
RELATIVE-  
LY EASY.

I  
THOUGHT  
A SMOKER  
WOULD BE  
UNWIELDY  
AND HARD  
TO USE...

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LET'S  
SEE...

THAT'S TEN  
MINUTES!

1分

カ!



**A SMOKED  
OTSUMAMI  
SET!**

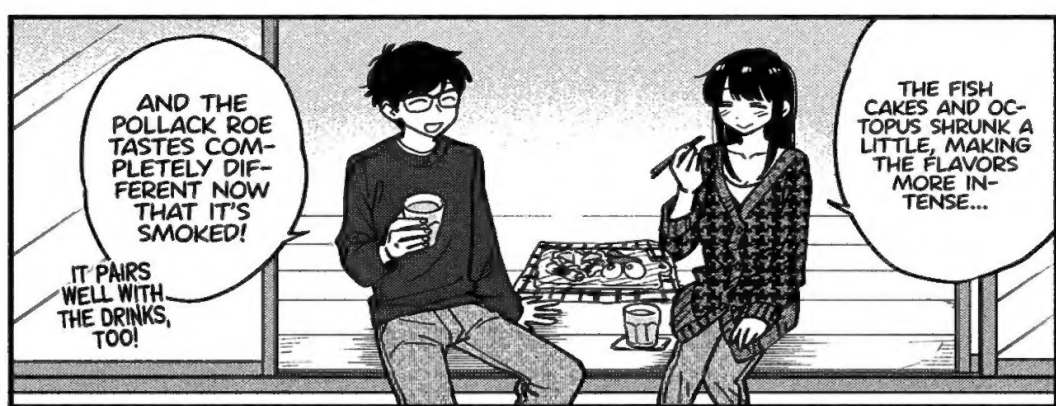
**ALL  
DONE!**

**PERFECT  
FOR FALL!**

**WOW,  
LOOK AT  
ALL THESE  
COLORS!**









WE COULD TRY PICKLED RADISH, TOO!



AND OF COURSE, LET'S NOT FORGET...



I THINK SOMETHING LIKE A TRAIL MIX WOULD BE NICE.

MAKES ME WONDER WHAT OTHER INGREDIENTS WE COULD USE...

OR IF WE WANT SOMETHING COMPLETELY DIFFERENT, MAYBE POTATO CHIPS...



RIGHT NOW WE'RE USING SAKURA.

THERE'S ALSO A LOT OF DIFFERENT TYPES OF WOOD CHIPS TO TRY.

THE POSSIBILITIES ARE ENDLESS...



THE CRÈME DE LA CRÈME!

HOME-SMOKED BACON...!

YEAH!





WE  
COULD'VE VISITED  
SO MANY PLAC-  
ES IF I DIDN'T  
GET TRANS-  
FERRED...



THAT'S  
TRUE.

I WISH  
WE'D GONE  
FOR DRINKS  
TOGETHER,  
CHIHIRO-  
SAN...

WHEN WE  
JUST MET, WE  
GRILLED MEAT  
ALMOST EVERY  
DAY, SO I HAD  
NO IDEA...



ON ONE  
OF THOSE  
DATES WHERE  
THERE'S THAT  
TENSION OF NOT  
KNOWING WHAT  
YOUR RELA-  
TIONSHIP  
IS...

I'VE  
ALWAYS  
WANTED  
TO GO...



...











HMM...

UMM...

**how to grill Love**

A RARE MARRIAGE

OLIVE

YOU'RE  
RIGHT...

YEAH,  
MAYBE  
NOT.

BUT OUR  
STYLES ARE  
SO DIFFERENT,  
IT'S ALMOST  
LAUGHABLE!

I  
THINK  
IT WAS  
A WON-  
DERFUL  
IDEA.

MEETING  
UP TO TRADE  
CLOTHES WE  
FOUND WHILE  
SWITCHING OUT  
OUR SUMMER  
AND WINTER  
CLOTHES...

HOW  
ABOUT  
YOU TAKE  
THEM TO  
A THRIFT  
STORE...?

OH!

TRUE  
LOOK,  
THIS ONE'S  
BRAND  
NEW.

THE  
TAG IS  
STILL  
ON...

WHAT  
SHOULD  
WE DO?

IT'D  
BE SUCH  
A WASTE  
TO THROW  
THESE AWAY,  
THOUGH...

THAT  
THING  
THEY DO  
IN THE  
WEST...

IN  
THEIR  
BACK-  
YARDS...

UHM...

WHAT'S  
IT CALLED  
AGAIN?

HM?

AH!

I  
THINK I  
HAVE AN  
IDEA!













**OUR FIRST  
CUSTOMER!**



**MR.  
SELLER?**



**YEP  
SELLERS  
HERE!**

**I'M SO  
SORRY!**

**DONT  
JUST GO  
BARGING  
IN!**













**HOT  
POTATOES!**

**ALL  
DONE!**

I HAVE SOME  
BUTTER, TOO...

HEHE...

OUCH!  
HOT...

**LOOKS  
YUMMY!**



DELISH!

SO SWEET!

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WE COULD ALSO MAKE THAT USING SWEET POTATOES.

AND WE COULD SUBSTITUTE THE SALT WITH HONEY.

THOSE ROSEMARY POTATOES I MADE LAST TIME?

DO YOU GUYS REMEMBER...

WRAPPING THEM IN WET KITCHEN TOWELS HELPS SOFTEN THEM UP.

SO GOOD!











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how to grill  love

Smiles as bright as the autumn sky!

MOST PEOPLE  
TEND TO FEEL  
GLOOMY...



I HEAR  
THAT DURING  
AUTUMN...

I'M  
HOME

Chapter 46

Let's Saber and  
Grill Some Meat!



I NEVER  
THOUGHT I'D  
SEE KENTA-  
SAN LIKE  
THIS...



**WE'RE  
NOT  
GRILL-  
ING?!**

**HUH?**

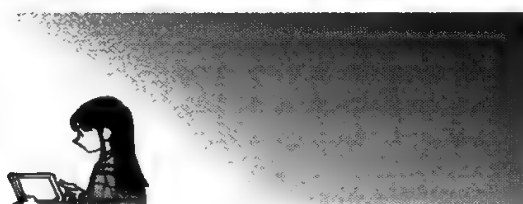
HMM...

MAYBE  
SOME  
OTHER  
TIME...

**HE MUST  
BE MORE  
EXHAUST-  
ED THAN I  
THOUGHT...**

KENTA-SAN  
DOESN'T FEEL  
LIKE GRILL-  
ING...

WELL,  
MAYBE IF  
THERE'S SOME-  
THING YOU'D  
LIKE TO TRY,  
CHIHRO-  
SAN...





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THIS IS  
PERFECT...!

HM?

IT'S JUST  
TOO MUCH  
FOR ME!

OKAY,  
I NEED TO  
CALM DOWN  
FOR A SEC-  
OND!









WE'LL  
RUB SOME  
ROCK SALT  
ON BOTH  
SIDES.



FIRST,  
WE'LL CUT  
THE MEAT IN  
SMALLER  
PARTS.



IT'S AITCH-  
BONE! IT'S A  
HIP CUT.

PICANHA IS  
PORTUGUESE.

I WONDER  
WHAT CUT  
IT IS?

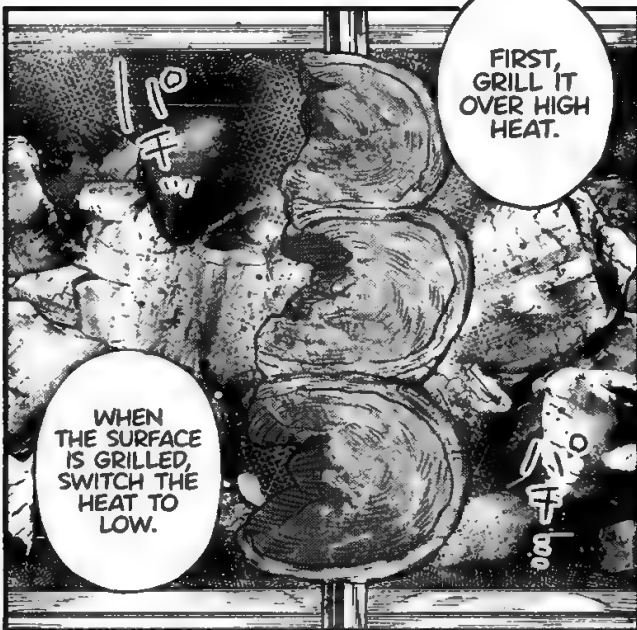
WHEN I  
BOUGHT IT,  
THE SIGN SAID  
THIS MEAT IS  
CALLED PI-  
CANHA...







THEN  
LET IT COOK  
THROUGH,  
TURNING IT  
OVER FROM  
TIME TO  
TIME.



FIRST,  
GRILL IT  
OVER HIGH  
HEAT.

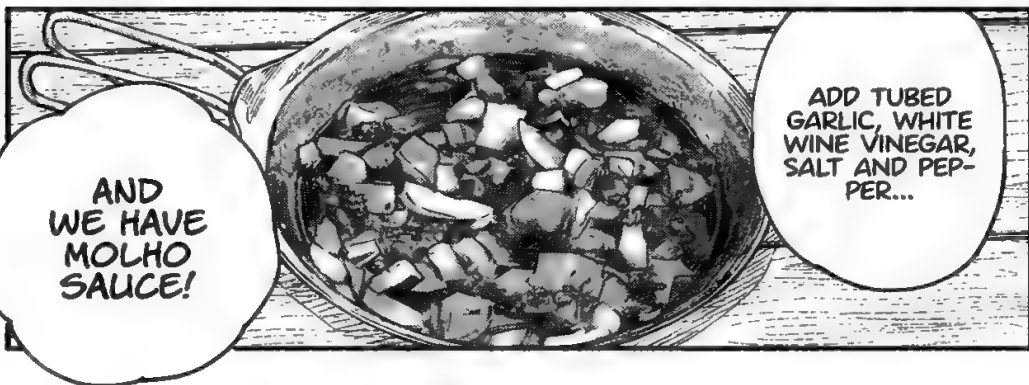
WHEN  
THE SURFACE  
IS GRILLED,  
SWITCH THE  
HEAT TO  
LOW.



TAKE  
SOME TOMA-  
TOES, RED  
ONION...  
BELL PEPPER  
AND PARSLEY,  
AND FINELY  
MINCE EVERY-  
THING.

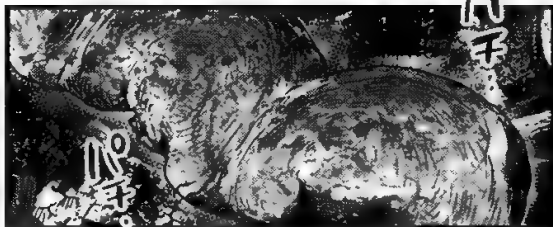
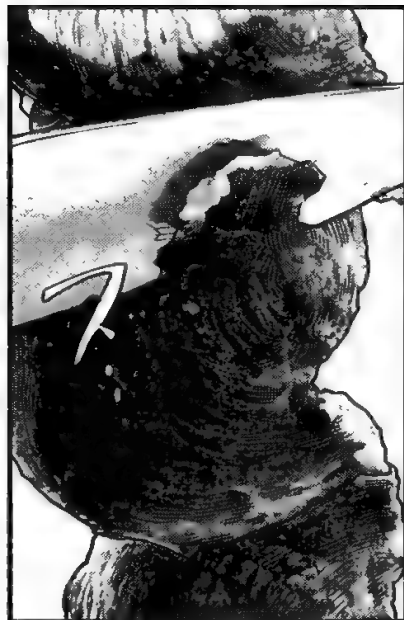


WHILE  
IT'S GRILL-  
ING, LET'S  
MAKE A  
SAUCE!



AND  
WE HAVE  
MOLHO  
SAUCE!

ADD TUBED  
GARLIC, WHITE  
WINE VINEGAR,  
SALT AND PEP-  
PER...









AND IN THE  
PROCESS, I  
LOST SIGHT  
OF MY-  
SELF...

WHEN I THINK  
ABOUT ALL THE  
THINGS I WANT TO  
TRY AND GRILL, I  
FEEL LIKE MY  
HEAD COULD  
EXPLODE...



MEAT IS  
JUSTICE!

THANK YOU,  
CHIHIRO-SAN!

BUT  
BECAUSE  
WE HAD THIS  
CHURRASCO  
TODAY...

I'VE RE-  
COVERED  
FROM MY  
GRILLING  
RUT!



?



A BADE MARRIAGE

how to grill  Love

Next time: Going for a drive with Chihiro-san!



Driving School Graduation  
Exam Results

001	006	016	021	
002	007	012	017	022
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	010	015	025	

AH...

Chapter 47

Baking Pizza  
to Fight Off  
Exhaustion!

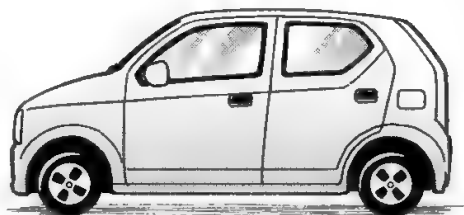
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love

A RARE MARRIAGE









"Too..."





AND I  
CAN TELL MY  
COLLEAGUES,  
"THAT'S MY  
WIFE!" AND  
SHOW YOU  
OFF...

YOU CAN  
COME PICK  
ME UP FROM  
DRINKS AFTER  
WORK...



I'M  
NOT SURE  
WHAT KINDS  
THERE ARE. WE  
SHOULD TAKE  
SOME TEST  
DRIVES.


WHAT  
KIND OF CAR  
WOULD YOU  
LIKE?



NOW  
THAT YOU  
HAVE YOUR  
LICENSE...

OH...

THAT'S  
RIGHT!



OH,  
REALLY?

SHE  
GOT A LI-  
CENSE SO  
SHE COULD  
PICK UP  
MIFUNE-  
SAN.

RINA-  
CHAN SAID  
THE SAME  
THING.



YOU  
CAN GET TO  
THE PARKING  
LOT FROM  
HERE.

BUSINESS HOURS:  
9AM-10PM



YES.  
I'LL  
BE FINE.

YOU  
THINK YOU  
CAN BACK  
INTO THE  
SPACE?



Skrt.

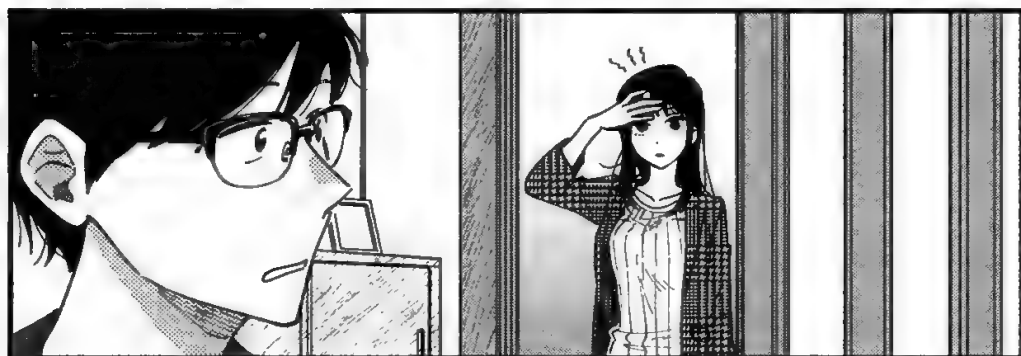


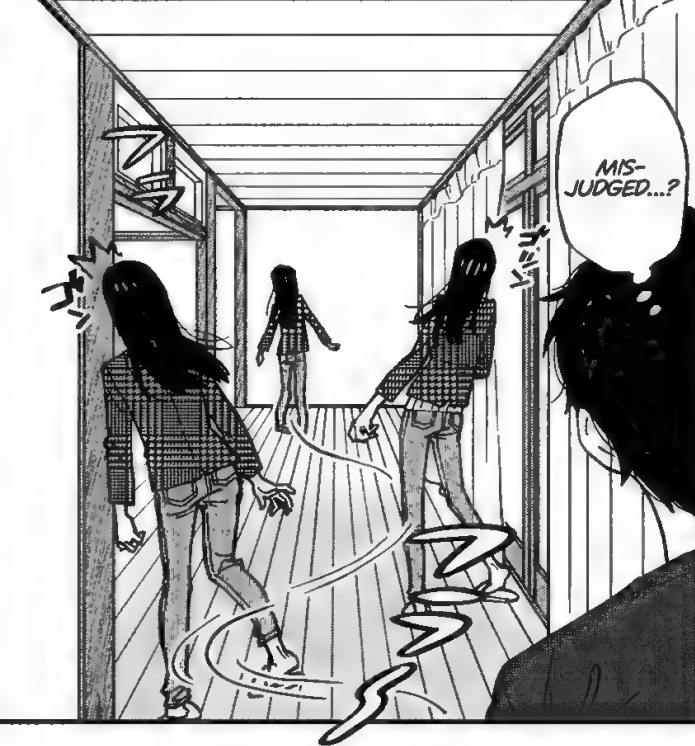
THANK  
YOU.

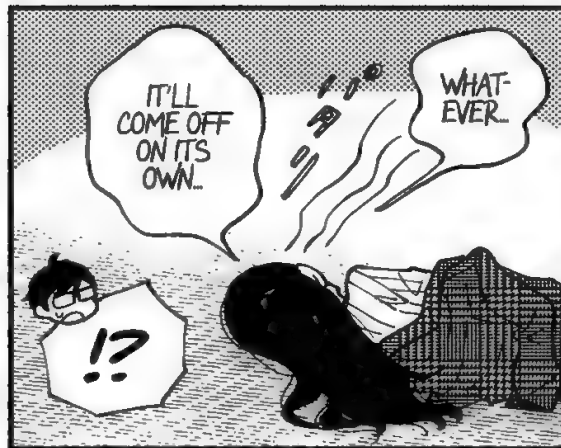
WOW.  
YOU'RE  
A GREAT  
DRIVER,  
CHIIHIRO-  
SAN.

I THOUGHT  
SHE'D HAVE  
MORE TROU-  
BLE...











SHE  
MUST'VE USED  
ALL HER ENERGY  
TO FOCUS ON  
DRIVING...

MAYBE I  
PUSHED HER A  
LITTLE TOO  
HARD.



I HAD  
SOMETHING  
IN MIND FOR  
TODAY...

BUT IF SHE'S  
THIS TIRED, I  
SHOULD MAKE  
SOMETHING  
THAT'LL GO  
DOWN EASILY.

WHAT  
SHOULD I  
DO ABOUT  
DINNER,  
THOUGH?



**I'VE  
GOT IT!**



SO THAT  
MEANS...

SHE'LL  
PROBABLY  
BE CRAVING  
SOMETHING  
SALTY...



AND  
SOME  
DRIED  
YEAST.

SUGAR,  
SALT...

IN A  
HEAT-RESISTANT  
BOWL, ADD HARD  
FLOUR, SOFT  
FLOUR...



KNEAD  
THE DOUGH  
UNTIL IT  
COMES TO-  
GETHER.



POUR  
SOME  
LUKE-  
WARM  
WATER  
OVER  
IT...  
  
AND  
FINALLY,  
ADD SOME  
OLIVE OIL.



IT'S  
GETTING  
BIGGER...  
SO CUTE...

AFTER THAT,  
LET IT SIT FOR  
10 MINUTES.



COVER THE  
BOWL WITH  
CLING WRAP AND  
MICROWAVE IT  
AT 500W FOR  
20 SECONDS.

NEXT,  
WE'LL MAKE  
THE DOUGH  
RISE!

IF YOU HAVE A  
BREAD PROOFING  
SETTING ON YOUR  
COMBI OVEN, YOU  
CAN USE THAT.



SPREAD  
THE DOUGH  
WITH YOUR  
HANDS AND  
FLATTEN IT  
OUT.



SO ROUND...  
SO CUTE...

ALRIGHT,  
IT'S RISEN  
NOW!



CHEESE AND  
SALAMI.

TOP  
IT WITH  
TOMATO  
PUREE...



I'LL MAKE  
SURE CHIHIRO-SAN  
GETS UP IN THE  
MEANTIME.



SET YOUR  
COMBI OVEN TO  
200 DEGREES  
CELSIUS AND  
BAKE FOR 15  
MINUTES.



**HERE  
WE ARE!  
A SIMPLE  
SALAMI  
PIZZA!**



**JUST  
WHAT I  
NEEDED!**

**TH-  
THIS  
IS...**

**AAA-  
AHHH...!**







HMM, I  
SUPPOSE...



YOU  
WERE ALL  
OVER THE  
PLACE WHEN  
WE CAME  
BACK.

YOU MUST'VE  
BEEN SO NER-  
VOUS DURING  
OUR DRIVE...



I DON'T  
THINK I EVER  
WOULD'VE  
REALIZED...

IF I'D  
NEVER MET  
KENTA-SAN...

HOW  
MUCH OF  
AN ACT I  
PUT ON.



I WILL  
NEVER LET  
HIM GO.



!!



HM? IS  
SOMETHING  
WRONG?

IT'S  
NOTH-  
ING!

I'LL GO  
DO THE  
DISHES.

 **how to grill Love**

Next time: So, Fushimi-san, do you like Toda or not?



  
A RARE MARRIAGE

# how to grill love



THIS  
WORKATION  
WAS A GREAT  
IDEA.

Chapter 48

Girl Talk at a  
Tuber Stew  
Party!?





SHE SAID IT'S A WORK-ATION.

FOR SIGHT-SEEING?

SHE BOOKED A HOTEL NEAR LAKE HAMANA.



FUSHIMI-SAN TOLD ME SHE'S VISITING HAMAMATSU SOON.

A FEW DAYS EARLIER...



SHE SAID SHE'D LOVE FOR YOU TO JOIN US, KENTA-SAN.



BUT SHE'S ALSO COMING TO SEE YOU, RIGHT?

ARE YOU GUYS GOING OUT FOR DINNER?



SURE, NO PROBLEM....

?



REALLY! SHE EVEN SAID WE SHOULD GRILL SOMETHING.

REALLY?





PEEL THE  
TARO AND  
CUT IT INTO  
BITE-SIZED  
PIECES.


GIVE THEM  
A QUICK RINSE  
TO WASH OFF  
THE SLIME.

COME  
ON IN!

I'M  
HERE!



CUT THE  
LEEK INTO  
DIAGONAL  
SLICES.




BREAK UP THE  
KONNYAKU INTO  
BITE-SIZED PIECES  
AS WELL AND  
PARBOIL IT.



AFTER A WHILE, WHEN THE TARO HAS SOFTENED...

WE'RE GOING TO ADD THINLY SLICED BEEF AND THE LEEK FROM BEFORE.

REMOVE THE SCUM AND BOIL UNTIL COOKED THROUGH.



TO A POT, ADD WATER, SOY SAUCE, SUGAR, SAKE...

AS WELL AS THE TARO AND THE KONN-YAKU.



MISO SOUNDS GOOD, TOO!

BY THE WAY, I ALWAYS USE SOY SAUCE AS A BASE, BUT SOME PEOPLE PREFER MISO.



I THINK IT'S DONE.



◇ **ULTIMATE FANTASY!** ◇

WE'RE USING A CLAY POT AND A PORTABLE STOVE TODAY, BUT...

I REALLY WANNA TRY MAKING THIS IN A DUTCH OVEN OVER AN OPEN FIRE...












AH...  
THANKS,  
CHIHIRO.



TODA-KUN,  
HUH...

HERE  
YOU GO.



I'LL TRY  
SOME AF-  
TER I DRIVE  
FUSHIMI-SAN  
BACK.

I CAN'T  
WAIT!

THIS  
SAKE IS  
AMAZING.

UHM...

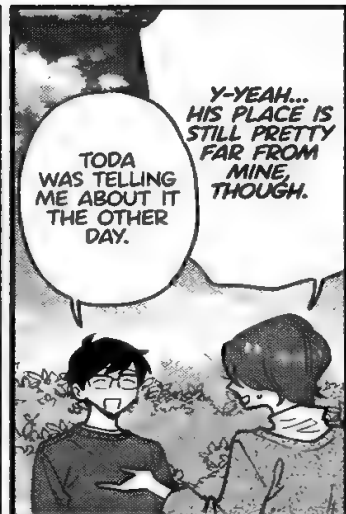


ACTUALLY,  
ABOUT TODA-  
KUN...



AND  
RIGHT,  
TODA!

HE LIVES  
IN YOUR  
NEIGHBOR-  
HOOD, RIGHT,  
FUSHIMI-  
SAN?







FOR THEIR  
SIX-MONTH  
ANNIVER-  
SARY...

HE  
BOOKED A  
HOTEL WITH  
A GOOD  
VIEW...

AND  
WROTE SOME-  
THING CORNY  
ON THE BED  
WITH ROSE  
PETALS.

LOVE



HE  
TOLD ME THAT  
HE DATED THE  
GIRL HE MET AT  
THE MIXER FOR  
ABOUT HALF  
A YEAR.



I JUST  
WENT THAT  
ONE TIME  
TODA ASKED  
ME!

OH!  
NO...

SO  
YOU WENT  
TO MIXERS,  
KENTA-  
SAN...

HMM...

AND IT  
WAS A LONG  
TIME AGO!



AHAHAHA!

SHE TOLD  
HIM IT WAS  
"TOO MUCH  
FOR JUST SIX  
MONTHS" AND  
BROKE UP  
WITH HIM.



SINCE  
HE MET HIS  
GIRLFRIEND AT  
A MIXER...

TODA  
MUST'VE  
GONE TO  
A LOT OF  
THEM,  
RIGHT?

OH, I  
WASN'T  
ACCUSING  
YOU OF ANY-  
THING.

I COULDN'T  
GET ANYONE'S  
NUMBER, ANY-  
WAY...











A BARE PARRAGE

how to grill Love

Next time: This fake wedding is escalating into...!?







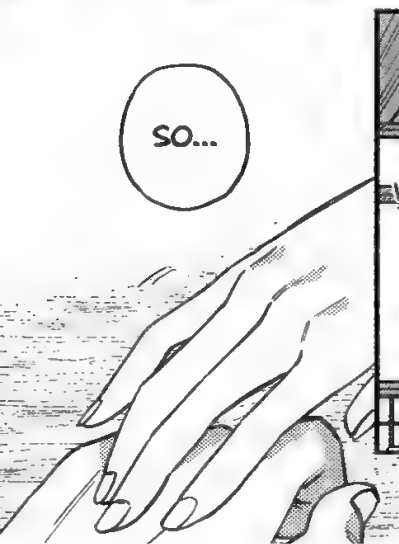
I REAL-  
LY WANNA  
EAT THOSE  
STICKS...

...OR SO I  
THOUGHT.



WHEN  
I WAS A  
KID...

I SAW THIS  
HUGE, BEAUTIFUL  
WEDDING CAKE AT  
SOME RELATIVES'  
WEDDING...



SO...



ALTHOUGH  
SINCE IT WAS  
A FAUX CAKE,  
I COULDN'T  
EAT IT.

GET  
THAT







WE  
COULD  
PROBABLY  
MAKE A  
CHEESE-  
CAKE...

WE'VE GOT THE  
INGREDIENTS.



NOW I REALLY  
WANNA HAVE  
SOME CAKE...

ME  
TOOOO!



AND CRUSH  
THEM WITH  
A ROLLING  
PIN.

YOU CAN DO  
IT ALONG WITH  
THE CREAM.

WE FIRST PUT  
THE SANDWICH  
COOKIES INTO A  
ZIPLOCK BAG...




ONCE  
THEY BE-  
COME FINE,  
ADD SOME  
MELTED  
BUTTER...

AND  
KNEAD  
TO MIX.



SPREAD IT  
OUT ON A  
SKILLET...

AND PRESS  
FIRMLY.



WARM SOME  
CREAM IN THE  
MICROWAVE FOR  
ABOUT 30 SEC-  
ONDS...

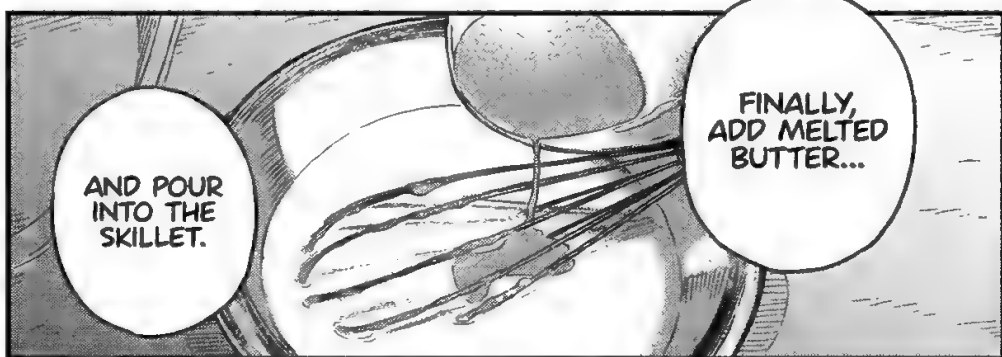
ADD IT AND  
KNEAD UNTIL  
IT ALL GOES  
SOFT.

ADD  
SUGAR AND  
MIX WITH  
A WHISK.



ADD  
BEATEN EGGS  
IN SEVERAL  
PORTIONS...

WHILE  
MIXING  
EACH  
TIME.



IT'S  
FINE,  
I CAN  
WAIT!

IT'S  
FASTER  
TO JUST  
BUY IT..



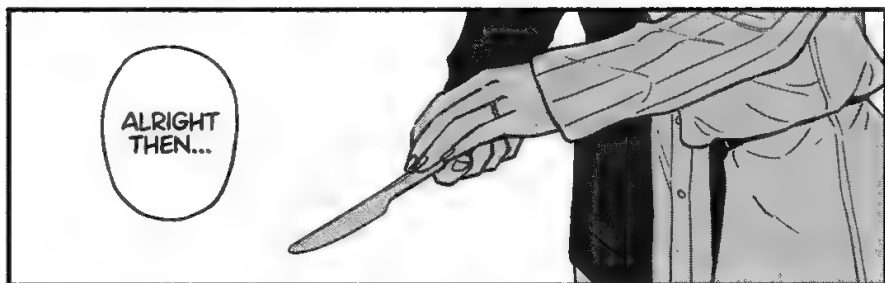
ONCE IT'S  
COMPLETELY  
BAKED,

LET IT  
COOL OFF A  
BIT AND THEN  
CHILL IT IN  
THE FRIDGE.

**ALL  
DONE!**

**CHEESE-  
CAKE!**



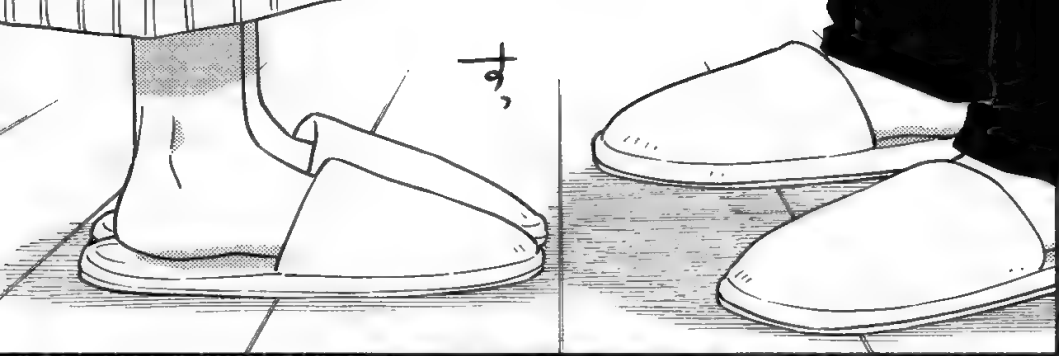


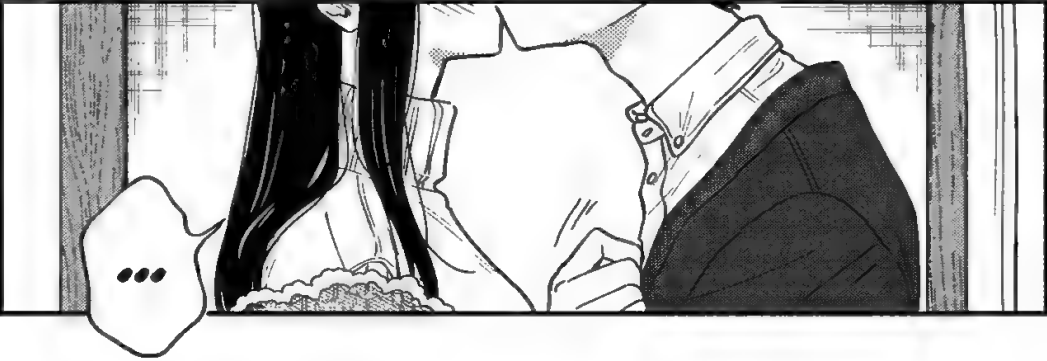
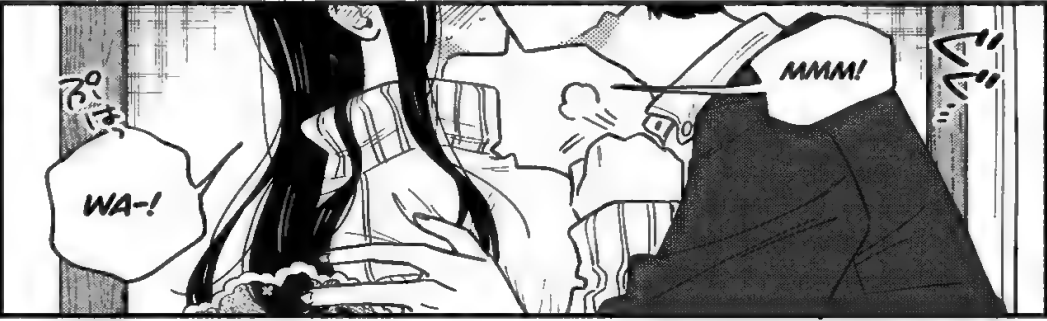
















 **how to grill our love**

Next time: Kenta's mom is calling Chihiro over the phone...!









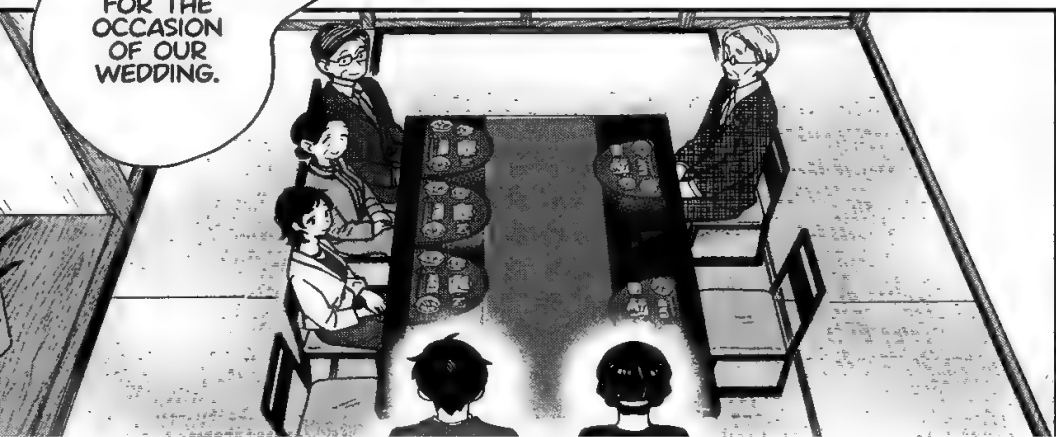


I FEEL  
GUILTY...

UM...

WE  
HUMBLY  
THANK YOU  
FOR GATHER-  
ING HERE  
TODAY...

FOR THE  
OCCASION  
OF OUR  
WEDDING.







THAT'S...

I WAS REALLY SHOCKED WHEN HE BROUGHT ALONG SUCH A SPLENDID YOUNG LADY.



I REAL-  
LY DIDN'T  
THINK KENTA  
WAS GOING TO  
GET MARRIED,  
YOU KNOW!



SHE WAS INVOLVED IN PARCO'S GRAND BAZAAR'S...

THAT'S RIGHT!

YAMAGU-  
CHI-SAN IS  
AMAZING!

WHY  
ARE YOU  
LOOKING SO  
SMUG...?



I'M A  
DESIGNER  
FOR AN AD-  
VERTISING  
AGENCY.

WHERE  
DO YOU  
WORK?



AND WHY  
ARE YOU STILL  
CALLING HER BY  
HER FAMILY  
NAME?







WE MET  
THROUGH  
MUTUAL  
ACQUAIN-  
TANCES.

YOU'RE  
IN DIFFERENT  
LINES OF WORK  
AND DIDN'T GO  
TO SCHOOL TO-  
GETHER....



OH MY! I'M  
REALLY THANK-  
FUL TO THESE  
FRIENDS OF  
YOURS...

INDEED...



MY  
FRIEND AND  
YAMAGUCHI-  
SAN'S FRIEND  
ARE COL-  
LEAGUES...

RIGHT?

I SEE!



BUT IT'S  
BEEN NAGGING  
AT THE BACK OF  
MY MIND EVER  
SINCE...

I THOUGHT  
WHAT WE DID  
WAS RIGHT  
THAT TIME.



AND  
WHETHER OUR  
MARRIAGE...

WOULDN'T HAVE  
BEEN RECOGNIZED  
IF WE HADN'T LIED  
LIKE THAT...

THAT I LIED  
TO THE PEOPLE  
WHO WOULD BE  
MY FUTURE  
FAMILY...



CHIIHIRO-  
SAN...



THAT  
WAS AN  
UNPLANNED  
MEETING...

I  
DIDN'T REALLY  
MIND SEEING  
YOUR DAD  
THOUGH...



I SEE.

SINCE  
THEN I'VE  
FELT UNEASY  
ABOUT SEEING  
YOUR MOM.



A DATING  
APP...!?

IS THAT  
REALLY OKAY?

ISN'T THAT A  
SCARY THING...!?

BESIDES, MY DAD  
WOULD PROBABLY  
DROP DEAD IF HE  
HEARD THAT WE  
MET THROUGH A  
DATING APP.

I CAN  
IMAGINE  
THAT

HMM...



IT  
REALLY IS  
DIFFICULT,  
ISN'T IT...

THINKING  
OF IT THAT  
WAY, I DO THINK  
WE DIDN'T HAVE  
MUCH CHOICE  
THERE...

BUT  
WELL...



I THINK  
WE SHOULD  
MOVE FORWARD  
PROUDLY WITH  
OUR HEADS  
HELD HIGH.

WE'RE  
NOT DOING  
ANYTHING TO  
FEEL BAD  
ABOUT.



RIGHT!!!

R-



PROUDLY.

MOVE  
FORWARD TO PROUDLY.  
NOTHING TO  
FEEL BAD  
ABOUT.



RIGHT!!!

WOOO!

WE GO  
PROUDLY  
TO NASU!

**RIGHT!**

**TO PUMP US  
UP, WE'LL EAT  
SOMETHING TO  
MAKE US MORE  
THAN STRONG:  
WE'LL BE  
STRONK!**

**WIPE OFF  
THE MOIS-  
TURE WITH  
A PAPER  
TOWEL.**

**RUB  
IN SALT  
AND POTATO  
STARCH WELL  
AND THEN  
WASH WITH  
WATER.**

**DEVEIN THE  
SHRIMP WITH  
ITS SHELL STILL  
ATTACHED.**

**AND  
ADD THE  
SHRIMP ONCE  
YOU CAN START  
SMELLING THE  
GARLIC.**

**ADD THINLY  
SLICED GARLIC  
AND OLIVE OIL  
INTO A FRY-  
ING PAN...**



TO FINISH  
UP, ADD SALT,  
BLACK PEPPER,  
AND BUTTER...

AND FRY  
ON HIGH  
HEAT.



FRY  
BOTH  
SIDES...



**GARLIC  
SHRIMP...**

**READY!**







WILL  
YOU BE  
ALRIGHT?

YEAH!

NEXT STOP:  
NASUSHI-  
OBARA.  
NASUSHI-  
OBARA.

須塩



THOUGH  
I THINK THE  
GARLIC POW-  
ER'S LONG  
GONE...

KENTA!  
CHIHIRO-  
CHAN!

WITH THE  
COMBINATION  
OF GARLIC POWER  
AND AN UNAGI PIE  
AS A SOUVENIR,  
EVERYTHING'S  
PERFECT!




WELCOME!

A BARE HUSBAND  
how to grill & love



**HOLY  
COW...!**



A RARE MARRIAGE

# how to grill love

**Chapter 51**

**A Relaxing  
Cheese Fondue!**









PLEASE  
DO!

I'LL  
MAKE  
TEA FOR  
EVERY-  
ONE.

CAMEMBERT  
CHEESE!

THE  
CAMEMBERT  
THEY MAKE  
AT MASHIKO-  
KUN'S PLACE  
IS THE BEST!

I CAN'T  
CALM DOWN  
AT ALL...

oo

I'VE  
BROUGHT  
TEA FOR-

EXCUSE  
ME,

I'M  
THE ONLY  
OUTSIDER  
HERE...



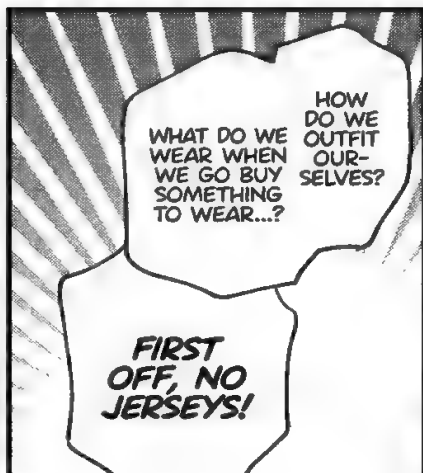








NO SCHOOL-  
PRESCRIBED  
SHOES!



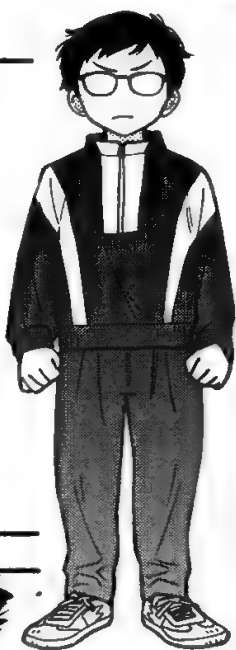
HOW  
DO WE  
OUTFIT  
OUR-  
SELVES?  
  
WHAT DO WE  
WEAR WHEN  
WE GO BUY  
SOMETHING  
TO WEAR....?

**FIRST  
OFF, NO  
JERSEYS!**



**I'VE BEEN  
SAVING UP  
MY POCKET  
MONEY FOR  
THIS DAY...!**

**THE OP-  
ERATION WILL  
COMMENCE  
ON SATUR-  
DAY...!**



**D-DAY.**



**YOU...!**



**OH...!**

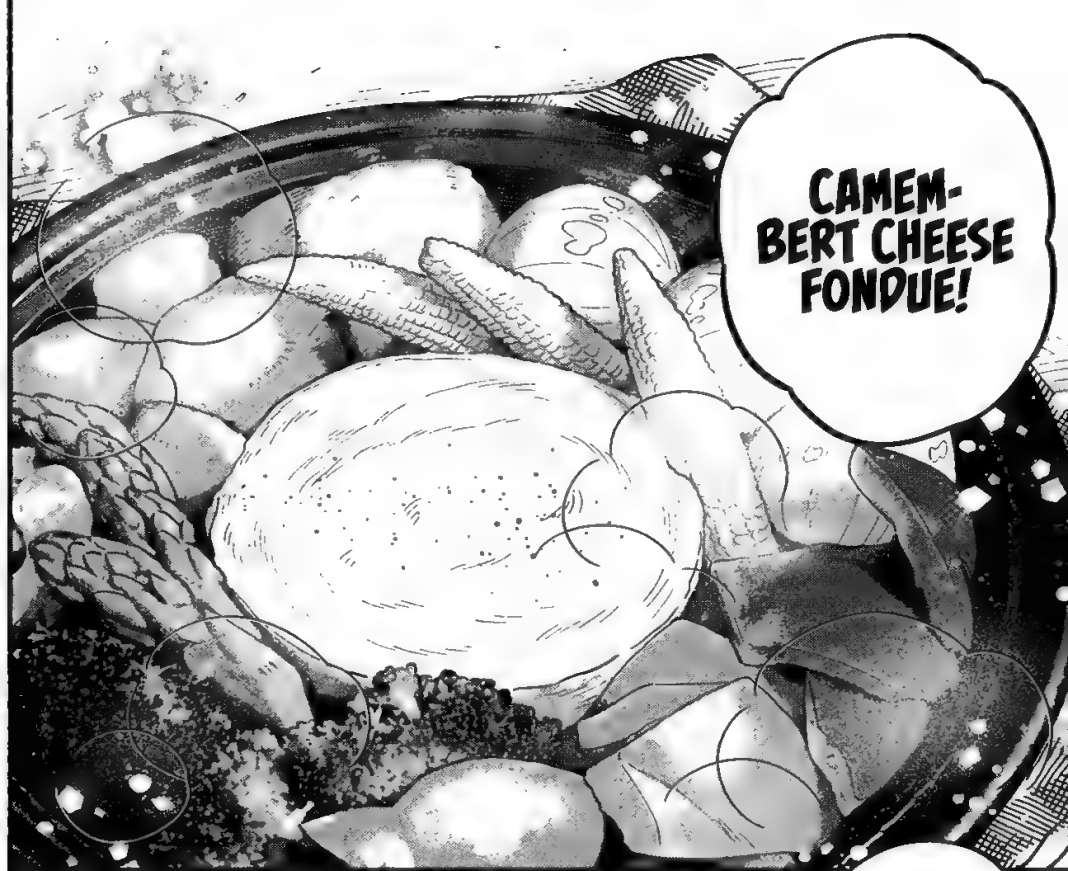












**CAMEM-  
BERT CHEESE  
FONDUE!**



DOESN'T  
IT?

IT LOOKS  
REALLY DELI-  
CIOUS...!



ONCE  
THEY TURN  
SOFT...

ADD  
CAMEMBERT  
CHEESE WITH ITS  
TOP LOPPED OFF  
AND HEAT THEM  
TOGETHER.

STEAM  
VEGETABLES IN  
A TAJINE...



AMAZ-  
ING...

YOU'RE  
GREAT AT  
COOKING  
TOO.

DID YOU  
MAKE THIS,  
YUUKO-  
SAN?

YEAH!

SIMPLE,  
ISN'T IT?



NASU'S  
VEGETABLES  
ARE TASTY!  
AREN'T  
THEY?

INDEED!

HER  
BEAUTY IS  
INTIMIDAT-  
ING...!

A black and white manga panel showing two girls. On the left, a girl with dark hair is seen in profile, looking towards the right. On the right, a girl with long dark hair and bangs is looking back at her with a slight smile. The background is plain.

OH, YEAH!  
CHIIHIRO-  
CHAN...

もぐ

もぐ

A black and white manga panel showing two boys. On the left, a boy with glasses is partially visible, looking towards the right. On the right, a boy with short dark hair is looking at him with a questioning expression. The background is filled with a pattern of small triangles.

HOW  
CAN YOU  
DEAL WITH  
IT EVERY  
DAY...?

A large black and white manga panel. In the center, a girl with short dark hair and a wide-eyed, excited expression is shown from the chest up. She is wearing a dark zip-up jacket and has her hands clasped together in front of her. To her left, a smaller boy with short dark hair and a worried expression is looking up at her. The background is filled with many small, radiating lines, suggesting a bright or intense atmosphere.

LET'S DO A  
GIRLS-ONLY  
TRIP!

GIRLS-  
ONLY.

TOMORROW,  
JUST YOU, ME,  
AND YUUKO...



LET'S DO A  
GIRLS-ONLY  
TRIP!

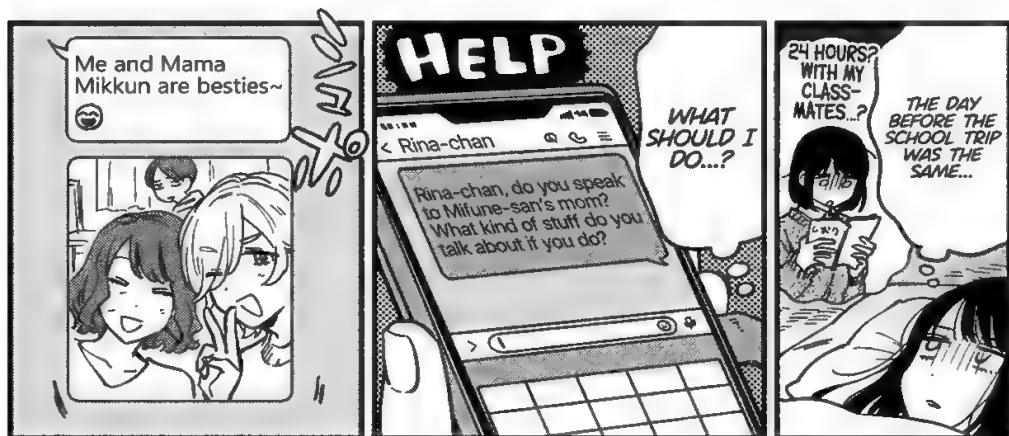
  
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Savoring Nasu with  
the Fukuyama Girls



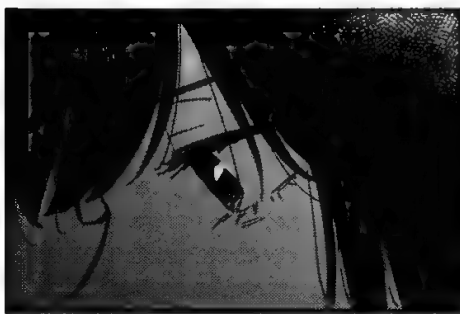





BUT IT'S  
BEEN NAGGING  
AT THE BACK  
OF MY MIND  
EVER SINCE...



BESTIES...



WOULD I BE  
THIS WORRIED  
IF I WEREN'T  
HIDING ANY-  
THING FROM  
THEM...?



AND  
WHETHER  
OUR MARRIAGE  
WOULD'VE BEEN  
ACCEPTED IF WE  
HADN'T LIED  
LIKE THAT...

THAT I  
LIED TO THE  
PEOPLE WHO  
WOULD BE  
MY FUTURE  
FAMILY...







WHAT  
FLAVOR  
DID YOU GET,  
CHIIHIRO-  
CHAN?

OH!  
IT'S  
DELICIOUS.



I COULDN'T  
GET A WINK  
OF SLEEP...



I SEE...

IT SEEMS THAT  
IF YOU COLLECT  
THESE STAMPS,  
YOU'LL GET A  
REWARD!



NO, I'M  
GOOD.

YUUKO  
WANTS  
THIS?

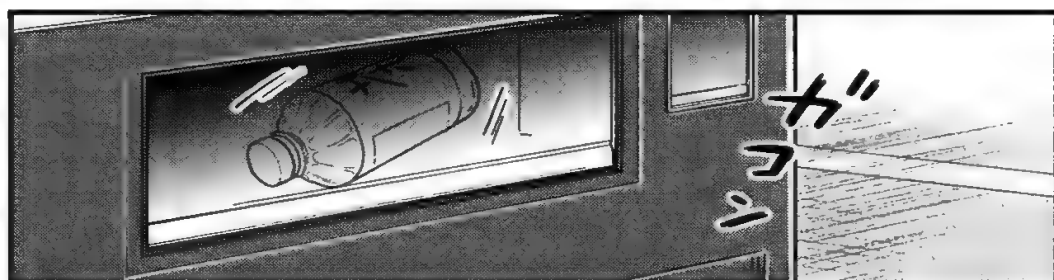


MINE IS  
COFFEE  
JELLY!

IT'S  
ROASTED  
CUSTARD

I IMAGINED  
THAT TOTEYAKI  
WOULD BE SOME-  
THING LIKE CREPE,  
BUT THE DOUGH  
IS THICKER.

IT'S LIKE  
THE OUT-  
SIDE OF A  
PIECE OF  
DORAYAKI!









BUT I  
KNOW THAT  
THAT'S NOT  
ALL.

I'M AN  
INTROVERT TO  
BEGIN WITH...

AND MY  
COMMUNICA-  
TION SKILLS  
ARE PRETTY  
POOR...



IT'S  
PARTLY  
THE FACT  
THAT...

I WANT  
TO GET AWAY  
FROM HERE.



IT'S BEEN  
LIKE THAT  
EVER SINCE  
I WAS A  
CHILD...

I'VE ALWAYS  
BEEN ROUGH  
IN THE WAY I  
TREAT MY RE-  
LATIONSHIPS...









WE DIDN'T FIND  
OUT ABOUT EACH  
OTHER THROUGH  
MUTUAL FRIENDS.  
IT WAS THROUGH  
A DATING APP.

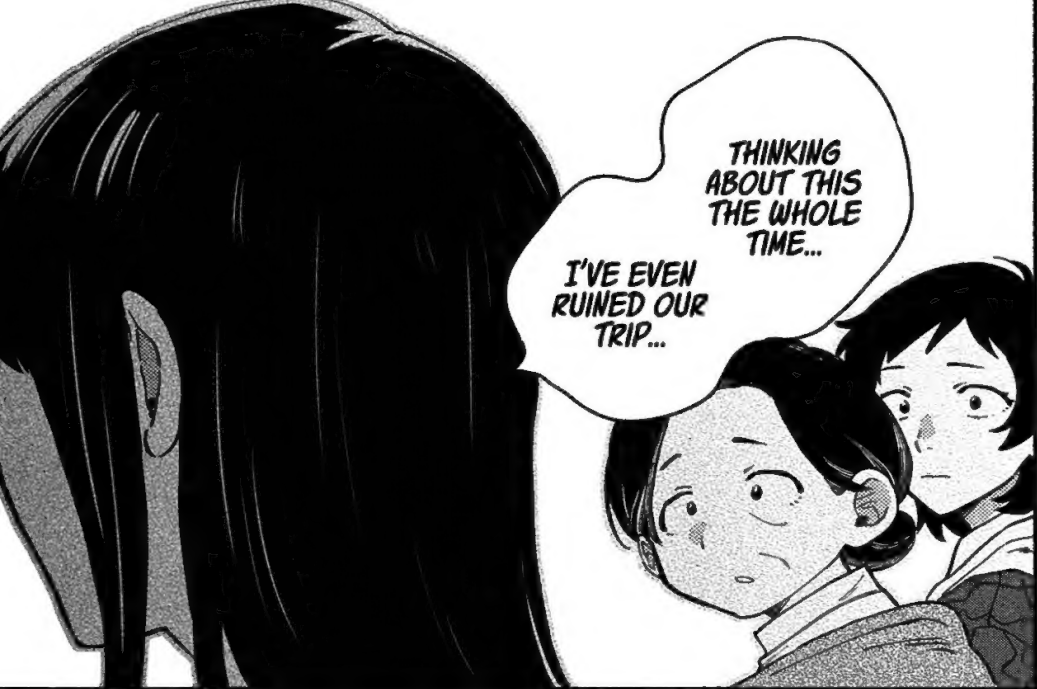
AND  
WE DIDN'T  
REALLY DATE  
EITHER.

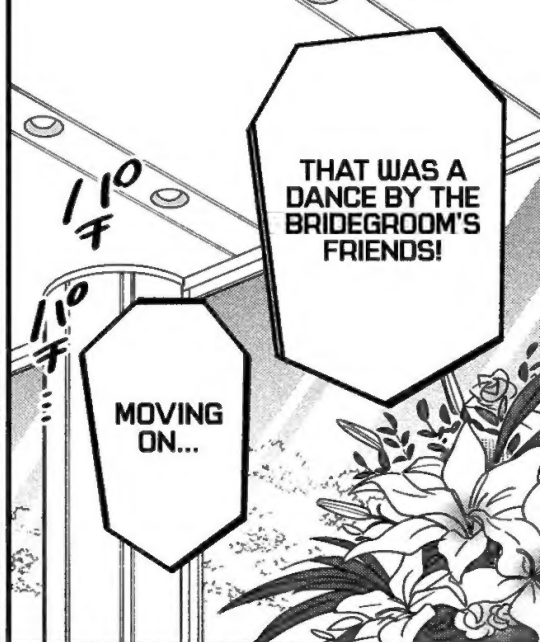
WE WERE  
AFRAID THAT  
YOU WOULD BE  
AGAINST OUR  
MARRIAGE.



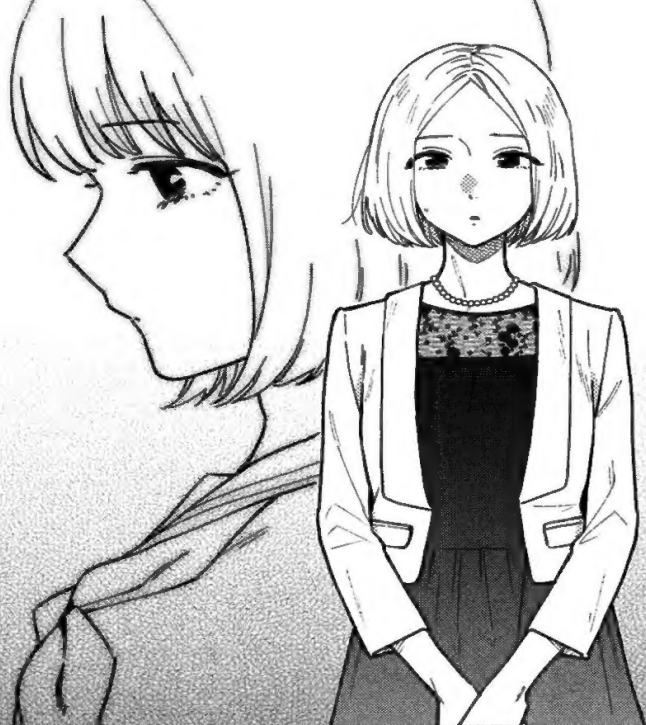
I...

I'VE  
BEEN LYING  
TO EVERY-  
ONE.









SE-  
SENPAI...?

HUH?